United States Senate

April 7, 2023

The Honorable Patty Murray Committee on Appropriations United States Senate Washington, DC 20510 The Honorable Susan Collins Committee on Appropriations United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Murray and Vice Chairman Collins:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2024 Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,

ROBERT MENENDEZ United States Senator

Menendez, Robert(D-NJ) Military Construction and VA Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Air National Guard	For construction of a new F-16 Mission Training Center, supporting pilot training for 4, F-16 flight simulators and associated briefing and support spaces.	Atlantic City Air National Guard Base, Atlantic City International Airport NJ	\$14,200
177th Fighter Wing	For construction of a consolidated services facility with space for dining hall, services training, physical fitness area, and Honor Guard training	Atlantic City Air National Guard Base, Atlantic City International Airport NJ	\$2,400
Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst	To construct new Vertical Skills (Material Handling) and General Instruction classroom facilities.	Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst NJ	\$15,000
New Jersey Department of Military and Veterans Affairs	For design funding for the Newark Readiness Center	Newark NJ	\$1,942
New Jersey Department of Military and Veterans Affairs	To replace the existing outdated 4.16 KV electrical power distribution system at the New Jersey National Guard Training Center (NGTC) with a 12.47 KV system to meet current power demand levels.	Sea Girt Training Center NJ	\$43,700